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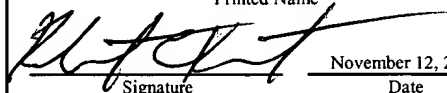
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Title: A System and Method of  
Operating a Client Network  
Computer in a Disconnected  
Mode

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of August 12, 2004, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.